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## **MEMO ENDORSED**

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Hon. Judge Valerie E. Caproni Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

VIA E-MAIL AND ECF

Re: NATAS v. Multimedia Systems Design Inc., 20-CV-7269 (Caproni, J.)

Letter Motion to Seal Exhibit A to Joint Letter in Advance of Pretrial Conference

Dear Judge Caproni:

We represent the Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter. This letter motion is filed jointly with Defendant/Counterclaim Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5.2(d) and Your Honor's Individual Rule 5(B)(ii), the parties request the Court's leave to file under seal the Rough Transcript of the Rule 30(b)(6) Deposition of Defendant Multimedia System Design, Inc. dated May 17, 2021.

Sealing is appropriate because the document proposed for sealing is a rough deposition transcript of Defendant Multimedia Systems Design Inc., which is not in final form, may contain errors, and may become subject to confidentiality designations, which the parties have not yet discussed or agreed on. Accordingly, the circumstances favor sealing of this transcript. *See Lugosch v. Pyramid Co. of Onondaga*, 435 F.3d 110, 119–20 (2d Cir. 2006).

Respectfully submitted,

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/s/ John H. Snyder John H. Snyder, Esq. 555 Fifth Ave, Ste. 1700 New York, NY 10017 (917) 292-3081 john@jhs.nyc Counsel for Defendant Application GRANTED. Plaintiffs may file the transcript under seal. The Court reminds the parties that once the transcript is finalized, Plaintiffs must file it and make specific requests for sealing.

SO ORDERED.

HON. VALERIE CAPRONI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

5/19/2021